

WALTHAM BEHAVIORAL HEALTH, 210 BEAR HILL RD SUITE 202, WALTHAM, MA 02451  
**CHILD/ADOLESCENT – PARENT QUESTIONNAIRE**

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Form completed by:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Relationship to child:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Referred by (name, telephone):** \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Child: _____	Gender: M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/> T <input type="checkbox"/>	Primary Language: _____
Date of Birth: _____	Age: _____	Place of Birth: _____
Ethnic Origin: _____		
Home Address: _____		
Home Phone: _____	Work Phone: _____	Cell Phone: _____

Childs Primary Care Physician (name, address and phone number): \_\_\_\_\_

**MEDICAL HISTORY**

Has your child ever had any of the following problems?	Yes	No	When
Seizures or convulsions			
Loss of consciousness or head injury			
Rashes or skin problems			
Meningitis			
Food allergies			
Drug or medication allergies			
Pneumonia			
Anemia or low blood count			
Heart problems			
Kidney or urinary problems			
Bowel problems			
Trouble with visions			
Trouble with hearing			
Lack of weight gain			
Poisoning or medication overdose			
Serious injury			
Hospitalization			
Surgery			
Diabetes			

Please list any other important or physical problems: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any medications that our child has used over a long period of time: \_\_\_\_\_

In general, has your child's health been any of the following:

- Excellent (rarely sick or injured, when sick recovers very quickly)
- Good (is not often sick or injured, illnesses are fairly short lived)
- Fair (frequently sick or injured, illness often linger or recur)
- Poor (chronically sick or injured)

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**PRESENTING ISSUES**

Please explain why you have chosen to seek counseling for your child at this time: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Do any of the following apply to your child?

- |   |   |  |  |   |
|---|---|--|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Unhappy            | <input type="checkbox"/> Irritable          | <input type="checkbox"/> inflexible        | <input type="checkbox"/> head banging      | <input type="checkbox"/> sexual confusion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> drug use           | <input type="checkbox"/> angry outbursts    | <input type="checkbox"/> withdrawn         | <input type="checkbox"/> disrespectful     | <input type="checkbox"/> rocking          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> sexual promiscuity | <input type="checkbox"/> alcohol use        | <input type="checkbox"/> daydreaming       | <input type="checkbox"/> fearful/phobic    | <input type="checkbox"/> skips school     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> runs away          | <input type="checkbox"/> school performance | <input type="checkbox"/> suicidal thoughts | <input type="checkbox"/> awkward/clumsy    | <input type="checkbox"/> overactive       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> unkind to others   | <input type="checkbox"/> atypical behavior  | <input type="checkbox"/> bed wetting       | <input type="checkbox"/> suicidal gestures | <input type="checkbox"/> slow/sluggish    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> destructive        | <input type="checkbox"/> poor concentration | <input type="checkbox"/> atypical thoughts | <input type="checkbox"/> soiling pants     | <input type="checkbox"/> lying            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> distractible       | <input type="checkbox"/> unmotivated        | <input type="checkbox"/> legal problems    | <input type="checkbox"/> fire setting      | <input type="checkbox"/> eating problems  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> unreliable         | <input type="checkbox"/> running away       | <input type="checkbox"/> peer conflict     | <input type="checkbox"/> stealing          | <input type="checkbox"/> sleep problems   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> anxious            | <input type="checkbox"/> impulsive          | <input type="checkbox"/> self-harm         | <input type="checkbox"/> often tired sick  |   |

List any others: \_\_\_\_\_

How long have these issues existed (# of weeks, months, years): \_\_\_\_\_

Is there anything that you think may have led up to your child's current difficulties? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Has your child received counseling or mental health services before? If so, please list the name, facility and telephone number of the provider(s), dates of treatment and results:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Facility</u>	<u>Phone</u>	<u>Dates of Treatment</u>	<u>Result of Treatment</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

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**DEVELOPMENTAL HISTORY**

Planned pregnancy  Yes  No      Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Typical pregnancy  Yes  No If mother was ill or distressed during pregnancy, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Did the mother abuse alcohol/drugs during pregnancy?  Yes  No Describe: \_\_\_\_\_

Length of active labor: \_\_\_\_\_ Describe Labor:  Difficult  Manageable/easy Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Full Term:  Yes  No If premature, how early \_\_\_\_\_ If overdue, how late \_\_\_\_\_

Type of delivery:  Vaginal  Cesarean  With instruments  Head first  Breech

Birth weight: \_\_\_\_\_ lbs. \_\_\_\_\_ oz. Birth length: \_\_\_\_\_

Did infant require oxygen:  Yes  No If so, how long? \_\_\_\_\_

Did the infant require blood transfusions?  Yes  No X-ray  Yes  No Explain: \_\_\_\_\_

***Newborn Period***

	Yes	No	Explain
Breast-fed (when was child weaned)			
Formula-fed			
Irritability			
Vomiting			
Difficulty breathing			
Difficulty sleeping			
Convulsions/Twitching			
Colic			
Average weight gain			

***Milestones***

	Age
Smiled	
Sat up without support	
Crawled	
Walked	
Spoke single words	
Spoke sentences	
Bladder trained	
Bowel trained	

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*During First Three Years of Life*

	Yes	No	Sometimes	Explain
Illness				
Change in caretakers				
Primarily attached to one caretaker				
Enjoyed being held				
Alert to environment				
Explored environment				
Interacted with children				
Interacted with adults				
Predictable sleeping and waking patterns				
Predictable bladder and bowel movements				
Predictable hunger				

**SCHOOL ADJUSTMENT/FUNCTIONING**

How old was your child when he/she started daycare/preschool/other program? \_\_\_\_\_

Describe your child's experience: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

*School History*

Name of School	Start Date	Grades Completed	Types of Classes	Child's Experience

Has your child ever skipped a grade?  Yes  No Repeated a grade?  Yes  No Explain: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Has your child ever had any specific learning difficulties?  Yes  No Explain: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Has your child ever had a tutor?  Yes  No Does your child work with a tutor now?  Yes  No

Is your child receiving special education services?  Yes  No If yes, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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Is your child currently have an IEP?  Yes  No If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Has your child ever had testing at school?  Yes  No If yes, why/when did this occur, who conducted the testing, and what were the general results? \_\_\_\_\_

**SCHOOL PERFORMANCE**

Highest grade on last report card:\_\_\_\_ What subject:\_\_\_\_\_ Lowest grade:\_\_\_\_ What subject:\_\_\_\_\_

Favorite subject:\_\_\_\_\_ Least favorite subject:\_\_\_\_\_

Does your child appear motivated for school?  Yes  No )

Has your child ever been suspended or expelled?  Yes  No If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Has your child ever had difficulty with the police  Yes  No If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Has your child ever appeared in juvenile court?  Yes  No If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Has your child ever been employed?  Yes  No List job, employer, and duration: \_\_\_\_\_

Has your child ever had any frightening or traumatic experiences?  Yes  No if yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Has your child ever experienced any physical or sexual abuse? If so, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

What are your child's strengths? \_\_\_\_\_

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Does your child have a best friend?  Yes  No If yes, do you think it is a healthy relationship?  Yes  No

If no, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

List your child's special interests, hobbies, skills: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you feel uncomfortable about any of your child's hobbies or interest?  Yes  No If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Does your child have any pets?  Yes  No If yes, describe type of animal, length of ownership, relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

**CURRENT FAMILY SITUATION**

Parent #1 Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender:  M  F

Relationship to child:  Birth parent  Adoptive parent  Relative  Other (explain): \_\_\_\_\_

Birth place: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Primary language: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of employment: \_\_\_\_\_ Education: \_\_\_\_\_

Ethnic origin: \_\_\_\_\_ Religious background: \_\_\_\_\_ Current spiritual practice: \_\_\_\_\_

Any children from previous marriages/relationships not living with you?  Yes  No If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe any personal or family problems from your childhood: \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe any current issues: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you currently receiving treatment of these issues?  Yes  No

Parent #2 Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender:  M  F

Relationship to child:  Birth parent  Adoptive parent  Relative  Other (explain): \_\_\_\_\_

Birth place: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Primary language: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of employment: \_\_\_\_\_ Education: \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

Please describe any current issues: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Are you currently receiving treatment of these issues?  Yes  No

Status of Relationship:  Married  Long term commitment  Separated  Divorced  Widowed

If one parent is deceased: Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Year of Death: \_\_\_\_\_ Cause of Death: \_\_\_\_\_

Would you describe your relationship as having:  No difficulties  Occasional difficulties  frequent difficulties

What are the strengths of this relationship? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

How would each parent describe the difficulties in the relationship? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

How are current difficulties being addressed? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you received counseling for relationship issues?  Yes  No If yes, please describe (include provider name and dates): \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Has the child ever been separated from either parent? (if adoption, foster care, or guardianship applies, see below):

**Parent Name**

**Dates of Separation**

**Age of child**

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Describe nature of separation and child's response: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Was either parent unable or unwilling to care for the child at any time?  Yes  No Which parent? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please describe nature of difficulties and child's understanding of the situation/response: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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Please check:  Adoption  Foster care  Guardianship  Other (describe): \_\_\_\_\_

Name and address of agency/organization involved: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Child's State, Country of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's age at time of adoption/foster care/guardianship: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of legal adoption: \_\_\_\_\_ Pending adoption? \_\_\_\_\_

If pending, what is the status?: \_\_\_\_\_

Describe the adoption/foster care/guardianship process. Where there any complications?: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Is this an **open or closed** adoption/foster care/guardianship:  Open  Closed

If open, what is the nature of the relationship that you and your child has with the birth parents? How often does your child talk and/or visit with the birth parents?: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

If closed, describe your child's understanding of his/her adoption/foster care/guardianship. At what age did your child learn about his/her adoption/foster care/guardianship? How often does your child expressed a desire to learn about the birth parents?  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

If your child has expressed the desire, do you support your child's interest or possible search for his/her birth parents?  
 Yes  No  Don't know Explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate if birth relative have had any of the following:

	Birth Mother	Birth Mother's Family	Birth Father	Birth Father's Family
Allergies				
Asthma/Emphysema				
Diabetes				
Heart Condition				
Mental Retardation				

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Seizure Disorder				
Depression				
Schizophrenia				
Other Psychiatric disorders (explain)				
Learning Disability				
Behavioral Problems				
Alcohol/Drug Abuse				

***Living Arrangements***

Number of moves in child's life: \_\_\_\_\_

Location	Dates	Reason

Current home:  House  Apartment  Renting  Own What year did you move into your current home? \_\_\_\_\_

Does the child share a room with anyone else?  Yes  No If yes, with whom?: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list information about the child's siblings below:

Name	Age	Sex	Living at Home?	Receiving Mental Health Services?	Drug or Alcohol Problems?	Birth/Adoptive/Stepsibling/Other

Besides the child and the siblings above, who else lives in the family home at the present time?

Name	Age	Sex	Relationship to the Child	Receiving Mental Health Services?	Drug or Alcohol Problems?	Physical Illness

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Is there anything else that would be important for us to know in order to best meet the needs of your child and your family? \_\_\_\_\_

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Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_